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Title : Preparation of CIGS-Based Solar Cells Using a Buffered

Electrodeposition Bath

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE - INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Dear Sir:

The Applicant submits the following in response to the Interview Summary mailed July 9, 2007.

Summary of Interview

Mr. Taffy called Examiner Barton to discuss potential avenues for advancement of prosecution. Mr. Taffy identified the additional components of the Kegeles solution (i.e., BZM, sodium iodide, and peracetic acid) versus the claimed invention. Mr. Taffy also pointed out that the Liang solution was utilized as a corrosive agent, which taught away from the instant invention. Examiner Barton agreed to consider the arguments in the form of an After Final Amendment.